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Miss Julie Ann Carter  
Board Secretary  
Utah Division of Oil, Gas & Mining  
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Salt Lake City, Utah 84102

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**SECRETARY, BOARD OF  
OIL, GAS & MINING**

Re: Finding of Fact, Conclusion of Law, and Order  
Docket No. 2013-023  
Cause No. 280-02

Dear Miss Carter,


The terms and conditions of the subject Order require Whiting Oil and Gas Corporation (Whiting) to report back to the Board not more than 13 months from the date of Order on available results from our pilot program, described therein.

In an effort to satisfy the requirement of this Order we ask that this letter serve as our timely report. Whiting has recently begun the drilling of the vertical portion of the Wellington 19D-2002 located in the NWNW of section 19, T15S-R11E (first pilot project), and at this time, due to the current oil price environment, we do not expect to drill the approximate 8,000 foot lateral section of the well until year end 2015. Therefore within a reasonable time frame and after analysis of the pilot project we intend to address and complete the required report.

Thank you in advance for the Boards understanding. Should you have any questions or comments please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,

WHITING OIL AND GAS CORPORATION

  
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Landman

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